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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant for Planning and Management, NPIC

SUBJECT: Increased Funding on the [ ] Chip Comparators

REFERENCES: A. Memorandum from TDS, Subject: Increased  
Funding on the [ ] Chip Comparators  
B. Memorandum from TID to TDS, Same Subject, Dated  
1 November 1967

1. Reference A was handcarried to you early this week when you were briefed on the subject problem area.

2. Reference B is forwarded herewith for your action to obtain proper funding action.

3. The probable total funding needed was listed in Reference A as [ ] according to the last proposal. This price will probably increase with time delays.

4. Funding to purchase the five Chip Comparators has in the past been charged to Class 31 funds. Since a quantity of five is involved, this is limited production and not a prototype or R&D item.

5. Reference A stated the Technical Development Staff position that this procurement action is one involving funds allocation and contract amendment. The necessary action should fall within the Planning and Management Staff.

Assistant for Technical Development, NPIC

Attachment: DECLASS REVIEW by NIMA/DOD  
As stated above

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